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SUBJECT: SCHUMANN COMES TO INDIA TO SELL FRENCH OIL

CONFERENCE: INDIANS LISTEN POLITELY BUT DON'T

YET BUY

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LAST WEEK FORMER FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE
SCHUMANN CAME TO INDIA TO EXPLAIN AND TRY TO OBTAIN
INDIAN SUPPORT FOR THE FRENCH PROPOSAL FOR A LIMITED
PETROLEUM CONFERENCE. THE INDIANS, OR SO THE PRIME
MINISTER'S SECRETARY WOULD HAVE ME THINK, HERE RATHER TAKEN
BY SURPRISE. (ALTHOUGH THE SECRETARY HAD TOLD CHAVAN
SUCH A PROPOSAL WOULD BE COMING). THEY TREATED
SCHUMANN WITH GREAT RESPECT AND LISTENED WITH SYMPATHY.
IN THE END, AS EXPLAINED TO PARLIAMENT BY PETROLEUM
MINISTER MALAVIYA, THEY EXPRESSED THEMSELVES AS
INTERESTED BUT AS WANTING MORE TIME TO LEARN THE REACTIONS
OF OIL-PRODUCING COUNTRIES. QN INTERPRET THIS AS MEANING
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THEY DON'T WANT TO OFFEND EITHER THE ARABS OR THE

UNITED STATES, OR THE FRENCH. THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT TO
DO . WHO DOES?
MOYNIHAN

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